

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: FUTSCHER, Heinz et al.

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For: **PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING COATED EXPANDED METALS AND USE
OF SUCH METALS AS CURRENT COLLECTORS IN ELECTROCHEMICAL
COMPONENTS**

Conf. No. 8653

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.